Offer #2024-08278

Research engineer on the design and analysis of symmetric techniques for advanced protocols

Contract type : Fixed-term contract

Level of qualifications required : Graduate degree or equivalent

Fonction : Temporary scientific engineer

Context

The successfull applicant will work with Léo Perrin within the framework of the ERC grant ReSCALE, that deals with symmetric cryptographic primitives intended to closely integrate with modern public key protocols, called STAPs.

See https://who.paris.inria.fr/Leo.Perrin/rescale/rescale.html for more information about the context.

Assignment

With the help of the other members of the ReSCALE team, including Léo Perrin, the recruited person will work on expanding the knowledge of the academic community and of the industry about the best practices when designing "STAP"s.

Main activities

- Investigate the design and analysis of STAPs.
- Assist in the supervision of the PhD students of the project.

Skills

Technical skills and level required : good knowledge of Python/SAGE, very good knowledge of symmetric cryptography.

Languages : English

Benefits package

- Subsidized meals
- Partial reimbursement of public transport costs
- Leave: 7 weeks of annual leave + 10 extra days off due to RTT (statutory reduction in working hours) + possibility of exceptional leave (sick children, moving home, etc.)
- Possibility of teleworking (after 6 months of employment) and flexible organization of working hours
- Professional equipment available (videoconferencing, loan of computer equipment, etc.)
- Social, cultural and sports events and activities
- Access to vocational training
- Social security coverage

General Information

- **Theme/Domain :** Algorithmics, Computer Algebra and Cryptology
  Information system (BAP E)
- **Town/city :** Paris
- **Inria Center :** Centre Inria de Paris
- **Starting date :** 2025-01-01
- **Duration of contract :** 2 years
- **Deadline to apply :** 2024-11-28

Contacts

- **Inria Team** : COSMIQ
- **Recruiter** :
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The keys to success

Advanced knowledge of symmetric cryptography, and ideally some knowledge of the cryptographic protocols requireing STAPS (FHE, MPC...)

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Instruction to apply

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